

Department of the Navy, DoD

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form(s). When personnel are admitted in an emergency without prior authorization, the commanding officer of the admitting naval MTF will immediately request authorization from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Medical Services.

(ii) The extent of care furnished in the United States, to individuals in paragraph (a) of this section who are evacuated to the United States for medical reasons, will be comparable in all respects to that which is authorized or prescribed for these individuals outside the United States. When determined appropriate by the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Medical Services, officers and employees and their accompanying dependents who have returned to the United States for non-medical reasons may be furnished medical care at the expense of one of the above agencies for treatment of an illness or injury incurred while outside the United States.

(4) *Physical examinations.* The Secretary of State is authorized to provide for comprehensive physical examinations, including dental examinations and other specific testing, of applicants for employment and for officers and employees of the Foreign Service who are U.S. citizens and for their dependents, including examinations necessary to establish disability or incapacity for retirement purposes. An authorization will be executed by an appropriate Department of State official and furnished in duplicate to the naval MTF, listing the type of examination required and stating that the individual is entitled to services at the expense of the Department of State. Furnish reports per the letter of authorization.

(5) *Immunizations.* Inoculations and vaccinations are authorized for officers, employees, and their dependents upon written authorization from an appropriate Department of State official. This authorization, in duplicate, will include the type of inoculation or vaccination required and will state that the individual is entitled to services at the expense of the Department of State. Furnish reports per the letter of authorization.

(6) *Dental care.* Limit dental care to emergencies for the relief of pain or acute conditions, or dental conditions

as an adjunct to inpatient care. Do not provide prosthetic dental appliances.

(c) *Evacuation to the United States.* Should a beneficiary in an overseas naval MTF require prolonged hospitalization, the commanding officer of the overseas facility will report the requirement to the nearest Department of State principal or administrative officer and request authority to return the patient to the United States. Release dependents who decline evacuation to the custody of their sponsor. Aeromedical evacuation may be used per OPNAVINST 4630.25B. Travel of an attendant or attendants is authorized at Department of State expense when the patient is too ill or too young to travel unattended.

(d) *Report.* Complete and submit, per subpart J, a DD 7 (Report of Treatment Furnished Pay Patients, Hospitalization Furnished, part A) or DD 7A (Report of Treatment Furnished Pay Patients, Outpatient Treatment, part B) when outpatient or inpatient care is rendered.

§ 728.58 Federal Aviation Agency (FAA) beneficiaries.

(a) *Beneficiaries.* Air Traffic Control Specialists (ATCS) of the FAA when appropriate authorization has been furnished by the FAA regional representative.

(b) *Authorization.* Written authorization from an FAA Regional Flight Surgeon is required and will include instructions for forwarding the results of services rendered.

(c) *Care authorized.* Subject to the provisions of § 728.3, authorized personnel may be rendered chest x-rays, electrocardiograms, basic blood chemistries, and audiograms, without interpretation in support of the medical surveillance program for ATCS personnel established by the FAA.

(d) *Report.* Complete and submit, per subpart J, a DD 7A (Report of Treatment Furnished Pay Patients, Outpatient Treatment, part B) outpatient care is rendered.

§ 728.59 Peace Corps beneficiaries.

(a) *Potential beneficiaries.* (1) Applicants for the Peace Corps.

(2) Peace Corps Volunteers.

(3) Minor children of a Peace Corps volunteer living with the volunteer.

(b) *Care authorized in the United States.* Upon written request of a Peace Corps official, stating care to be provided and disposition of reports, the following may be provided subject to the provisions of § 728.3.

(1) *Physical examinations.* Physical examinations are authorized on an outpatient basis only. Except for interpretation of x-rays, make no assessment of the physical qualifications of examinees.

(i) Preselection physical examination may be provided applicants (volunteers) for the Peace Corps.

(ii) Separation or other special physical examinations may be provided volunteers and their dependents as listed in paragraph (a)(3) of this section. Unless otherwise prescribed in written requests, report such examinations of Peace Corps volunteers on SF-88 and SF-93. Include:

(A) Medical history and systemic review.

(B) Chest x-ray with interpretation.

(C) Complete urinalysis, serology, and blood type.

(D) Pelvic examination and Pap smear for all female volunteers.

(E) Hematocrit or hemoglobin for all females and for all males over 40 years of age.

(F) Electrocardiogram for all volunteers over 40 years of age.

(2) *Immunizations.* Immunizations, as requested, may be provided all beneficiaries listed in paragraph (a) of this section.

(3) *Medical care.* Both inpatient and outpatient care may be provided volunteers for illnesses or injuries occurring during their period of service which includes all periods of training. Dependents of volunteers specified in paragraph (a)(3) of this section are authorized care to the same extent as their sponsor.

(4) *Dental care.* Limit dental care to emergencies. Render only that care essential to relieve pain or prevent imminent loss of teeth. All beneficiaries seeking dental care will be requested, whenever possible, to furnish advanced authorization.

(c) *Care authorized outside the United States—(1) Physical examinations.* Termination physical examinations may be provided volunteers and eligible dependents of volunteers. In most instances, Peace Corps staff physicians will provide these examinations; however, help may be required of naval MTFs for ancillary services.

(2) *Immunizations.* When requested, immunizations may be provided all beneficiaries listed in paragraph (a) of this section.

(3) *Medical care.* When requested in writing by a representative or physician of a Peace Corps foreign service post, volunteers, eligible dependents of volunteers, and trainees of the Peace Corps may be provided necessary medical care at Peace Corps expense. When emergency treatment is rendered without prior approval, forward a request to the Peace Corps foreign service post as soon as possible.

(4) *Dental care.* Limit dental care to emergencies. Render only that care essential to relieve pain or prevent imminent loss of teeth. All beneficiaries seeking dental care will be requested, whenever possible, to furnish advanced authorization.

(5) *Evacuation to the United States.* When a beneficiary in an overseas naval MTF requires prolonged hospitalization, the commanding officer of the overseas facility will report the requirement to the nearest Peace Corps foreign service post and request authorization to return the patient to the United States. Releases custody of dependents to their sponsor when evacuation is declined. Aeromedical evacuation may be used per OPNAVINST 4630.25B. Travel of attendant(s) is authorized when the patient is too ill or too young to travel unattended.

(d) *Report.* Complete and submit, per subpart J, a DD 7 (Report of Treatment Furnished Pay Patients, Hospitalization Furnished, part A) or DD 7A (Report of Treatment Furnished Pay Patients, Outpatient Treatment, part B) when outpatient or inpatient care is rendered.